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### GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

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### NOTIFICATION

G. O. (P) No. 60/2025/Home.

S. R. O. No. 532/2025

6<sup>th</sup> May, 2025  
*Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 23<sup>rd</sup> Medam, 1200*  
*16<sup>th</sup> Vaisakha, 1947.*

In exercise of the powers conferred under sub-section (3) of section 176 of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023, the Government of Kerala hereby authorize the Officer in charge of the police stations in the State of Kerala including Government Railway Police (GRP), Crime Branch, Anti-Terrorism Squad (ATS) and other



officers entrusted with the investigation by the State, Hon'ble Courts, competent Commissions or by empowered officers, to cause the forensic expert to visit the crime scene to collect forensic evidence in the offence and also cause videography of the process on mobile phone or any other electronic device, in respect of receipt of every information relating to the Commission of an offence which is made punishable for seven years or more.

By order of the Governor,

BISHWANATH SINHA,  
*Additional Chief Secretary to Government.*

### **Explanatory Note**

(This does not form part of the notification, but is intended to indicate its general purport.)

Sub-section (3) of section 176 of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 (Central Act 46 of 2023) empowers the State Government to notify to authorise the officer in charge of police station to cause the forensic expert to visit the crime scene to collect evidence in the offence and also cause videography of the process on mobile phone or any other electronic device. Now, the Government have decided to issue the notification for the said purpose.

The notification is intended to achieve the above object.

